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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

BAUMANN, ET AL.

CASE NO.: RD7750USCIP

APPLICATION NO.: 10/038,035

GROUP ART UNIT: 1751

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EXAMINER: EINSMANN

FOR: METHOD OF IMPARTING STAIN TESISTANCE TO A DIFFERENTIALLY DYEABLE TEXTILE SURFACE AND THE ARTICLE PRODUCED THEREBY

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Amendment

In response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2003, please amend the captioned application as set forth herein. A one-month extension of time is also enclosed to extend the period of response to December 13, 2003.